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Re: Cal-Fed/Alternative 2 Options

Dear Lester:

We have been encouraged in the past several weeks by your commitment to have Cal-Fed take a serious look at "Alternative 2." Only by completing a meaningful and serious analysis of this alternative will Cal-Fed and the interested parties be able to select and then support a preferred alternative that will satisfy the Cal-Fed mission statement and its solution principles. There are undoubtedly certain advantages to both Alternatives 2 and 3, but this will only be fully revealed by meaningful analysis of both alternatives. Moreover, we believe that there are tremendous opportunities for you and your staff to fashion an "Alternative 2" configuration that will alleviate several of the concerns that have been raised by the numerous parties in the Cal-Fed process, particularly if coupled with meaningful surface water storage and minimal agricultural land fallowing.

In my view, it would be a very productive use of our time at the next BDAC meeting in Redding to have you and your staff describe your renewed "Alternative 2" analysis and to receive input from members of BDAC and the public. If you would like to discuss this further, please call. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

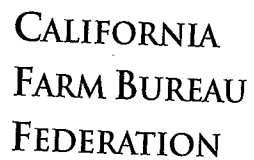
Sincerely yours,

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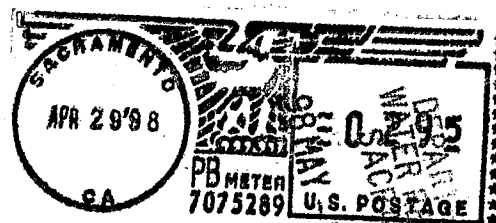
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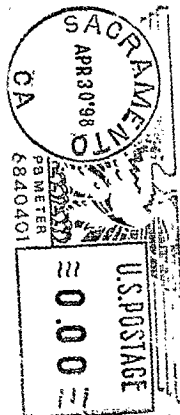
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